



HARVEY for Chair



Moving YL Forward: From Branch to Board

My Experience:

- Welsh YL Chair from 2021-22, sitting on **Welsh Board** & supporting young candidates.
- YL Comms Officer 2022-24, running **General Election** comms
- **Researcher & Comms Officer** for a frontbench Lib Dem MP.
- YL Rep to English Council in 2023, **standing up for you.**
- Beaten Labour, Tories & the SNP from Swansea to St Andrews, Wimbledon to West Edinburgh.

As a Committee Chair, I **built strong teams**, focusing on others' strengths and helping them develop. From **supporting our win on Housing policy** to improving how we recognise our members, I know **how to change things for the better.** With experience in **YL, HQ and Parliament**, I know how to influence change at the heart of our party. I'll **stand up for you** at every level, as we grow after our best ever Election.

Here's how I'll shape YL's future:

- **Diversity:** Enough talk - it's time for action: work with Diversity Officers & use our seat on the party's People Development Committee to create a targeted Diversity Plan - addressing events, training, and culture to make us more inclusive.
- **Elections & branches:** work with Regional & State Chairs to prepare effectively for 2025: linking branch development with election cycles, pairing wards with branches and reforming Young & Winning funding.
- **Safeguarding & culture:** explore an independent complaints process, keep our safeguarding procedures up to date so everyone feels safe and welcome at YL events, including under-18s.
- **Sharing Our Values:** fight for you on Federal Board, and use my experience fighting Labour to shape strategy, build a coherent media plan to extend our reach, and work with Exec to create an engaging "Get Involved" section of our website to make engaging members easier.
- **Supporting the Exec:** a reliable onboarding process for new volunteers, particularly after by-elections, reform Conference scrutiny, and make us more visible through updates and regular events.



I've witnessed firsthand Harvey's dedication and his ability to deliver every task to the highest standard - nothing has ever been too much for him. His leadership, empathy and determination make him the ideal candidate for this role.

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Chair, Lib Dem Women